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Practitioner's Docket No. KCC-17,441**PATENT****IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE** **In re application of:**

Application No.: 10/017,681 Group No.: 1733
 Filed: 14 December 2001 Examiner: Sam Chuan C. Yao
 For: Young C. KO et al.
PROCESS FOR ADDING SUPERABSORBENT TO A PRE-FORMED
FIBROUS WEB VIA IN SITU POLYMERIZATION

 Patent*: Patent issued.

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**REQUEST FOR REFUND
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I. REFUND REQUEST

This is a request for a refund, with respect to the charge to Deposit Account
19-3550, shown on the statement dated 10/19/04, for the
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A copy of the monthly statement, in which the error referred to occurs, accompanies this request.

II. FEES CHARGED FOR WHICH REFUND REQUESTED

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	\$110.00
TOTAL REFUND REQUESTED	
	\$110.00

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III. EXPLANATION OF WHY CONTESTED CHARGE IS IN ERROR

A check in the amount of \$110.00 was enclosed with the Provisional Terminal Disclaimer filed by Certificate of Mailing on 13 October 2004. A copy of the return receipt postcard is enclosed. Also enclosed is a copy of the October Deposit Account Statement for Deposit Account 19-3550. Deposit Account 19-3550 was improperly charged for the fee for the Provisional Terminal Disclaimer.

IV. MANNER OF REFUND

Please make refund by

crediting Account No. 19-3550
 crediting credit card as shown on the attached credit card information authorization form PTO-2038.

WARNING: Credit card information should not be included on this form as it may become public.
 refunding payment.



SIGNATURE OF PRACTITIONER

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- Provisional Terminal Disclaimer (2 pages), in duplicate
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